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WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(P)—President Truman sent to Congress today a \$41,858,000,000 budget proposing the biggest spending and the most powerful military forces America "has ever maintained in peacetime."

Half the total is for "our international and national defense programs"—for the cold war with Russia.

And the cost may go even higher. Mr. Truman said so three times in a message itemizing what the administration wants to spend in the 1950 fiscal year starting July 1.

But he didn't give an inch in his demands for his vast social and economic program—such things as more housing and schooling, bigger social security benefits, tools to combat inflation. The budget covers some of these items.

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He said, too, that:

"It must be recognized that expenditures in the fiscal year 1951 are likely to be larger than those for 1950. Expenditures for national defense can be expected to rise substantially above the level estimated for 1950."

May Need More

"We cannot expect any material decline in our international responsibilities."

"X even higher expenditures will probably be required in future years."

So for the third time in a week he hammered hard for \$4,000,000 more a year in taxes. He said last Wednesday most of it should come from corporations and people in the middle and higher income brackets.

"In a period of high prosperity," he said, "it is not sound public policy for the government to operate at a deficit."

Instead, he said it is "vitally important" that the government have a surplus now for unexpected expenses, paying off the enormous debt, easing inflationary pressure and providing a sound financial footing for the future.

Actually, the government might not collect much more than half the \$4,000,000,000 in the coming year. Mr. Truman figures the higher taxes might not go into effect until next July 1 and that there would be "the normal lag" in collections.

More Payroll Taxes

He suggested an additional \$2,000,000,000 in payroll taxes, on business and individuals, to finance his program of new or bigger Social Security benefits.

For one thing, he said, he wants the present 1 per cent on workers and their employers boosted to 1½ per cent each next July 1. That is six months ahead of the schedule Congress set.

By the same date he wants "nearly all the 25,000,000 gainfully employed persons not now covered" brought into the old age insurance system. They would pay taxes, too.

He wants insurance for people temporarily or permanently disabled, apparently with those covered chipping in on the cost.

And he wants a higher ceiling on the income taxed for Social Security. Now only the first \$3,000 of a person's income is taxed.

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Your Share in Cost of Budget Proposed Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(P)—You share in the cost of government, as proposed by President Truman, averages out to—

\$262.82 for the 12 months beginning next July 1, compared with \$271.04 for the preceding 12 months.

Based on an estimated population of 148,000,000, that is the cost for every living American—man, woman and child—of the government's operations at home and abroad, as reflected in the president's budget message today.

The comparative cost in the year ended June 30, 1941, the last full fiscal year before Pearl Harbor, was \$101.14. The population then was only \$132,350,000.

Budget Briefs

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—(P)—Here's where President Truman expects each dollar of budget revenue to come from and go during the 12 months beginning July 1:

Income	Cents
Direct taxes on individuals	43
Direct taxes on corporations	28
Excise (sales) taxes	19
Customs duties and other taxes	8
New taxes	2
Total	\$1.00
Outgo	Cents
National Defense	34
International affairs and aid	16
Veterans Benefits	13
Interest on debt	13
Social Security and health	6
Natural resources	5
All other	13
Total	\$1.00

Charleston Attorney Dies

CHARLESTON, Mo., Jan. 10—(P)—Otis W. Joslyn, 79, attorney and father of former state senator L. D. Joslyn, died Saturday night at his home here. He had been a resident of Charleston 58 years.

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Clay Reports Setbacks For Communism

By Richard Kasischke

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—(P)—Gen. Lucius D. Clay said today the failure of Russian tactics in trying to swing the population of Berlin to Communism "must be apparent even to the Soviet government."

The U. S. military governor assessed the results of last month's Berlin elections in his monthly report on occupational affairs.

The report recorded two other setbacks for Communism in Western Germany—in British occupation zone elections and in trade union affairs.

But it contained two cautioning notes: That German Nationalism is developing anew in Western Germany and that German authorities in the U. S. occupation zone are making unwarranted complaints about costs of the occupation.

Declares Party Disintegrating

Clay declared the Socialist Unity (Communist) party in the western sectors of Berlin has "almost disintegrated."

"The defeat suffered by the Communists does not affect the Socialist Unity party alone," he said, "but also the party's ideological and political mentors, the Soviet military administration, and reflects on the tactics used by the Russian occupation power. 'The failure of these tactics, which were pursued with the greatest determination, must be apparent even to the Soviet government.'

Clay warned that "Nationalistic groups, which had been driven underground in Germany since the overthrow of national socialism, are again beginning to lift their heads."

Meets Recently

Two such groups held meetings recently in the U. S. zone. Clay said "although these groups are as yet small, Democratic German leaders recall with uneasiness that, until 1929, National Socialism itself was a negligible movement."

Loyal Rebekah Installation

The Loyal Rebekah Lodge 260 held its regular meeting at the Odd Fellow hall on Friday. A short business session was held, after which installation of officers for 1949 was held, under the supervision of the District Deputy-President, Mrs. Guy Snyder. Those installed were:

Mrs. George Starkey, noble grand; Mrs. Fred Anton, Jr., vice grand; Miss Margaret Starkey, chaplain; Miss Marybell Harbit, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Edwards, financial secretary; Mrs. Orene Edwards, conductor; Mrs. J. F. Kirkhart, warden; Mrs. Zelpha Baldwin, inside guardian; Mrs. Mary Strickler, outside guardian; Mrs. Lora Rodgers, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Guy Snyder, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. V. Gertrude Schilb, right supporter to vice grand; Mrs. E. D. Sutherland, left supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Herbert Shepherd, musician and J. F. Kirkhart, trustee for three years.

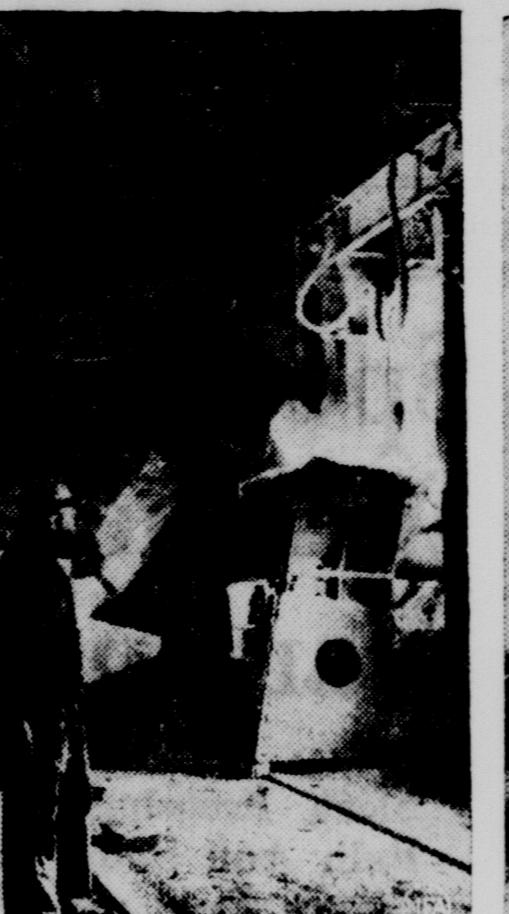
Mrs. Clyde Taylor was seated as past noble grand and was presented the jewel of her office and a gift from her group of officers.

At the same time, the officers of the Odd Fellow Lodge 153 were installed by the Grand Master, Brother Palmer and his staff from Green Ridge.

After the meeting closed a social hour was held. A solo rendered by Mrs. Virgil Tucker, honoring the incoming noble grand and Mrs. William Reed sang a solo honoring the retiring noble grand.

Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee were served to approximately 75 members and guests.

These Are Weapons President Wants in War on Inflation



Living Costs — Standby authority for price ceilings on scarce commodities that affect production or living costs and to limit wage increases.

Rents — Rent controls, now due to expire April 1, 1949, should be extended and strengthened. The 80th Congress had permitted some rent increases.

Production — Right for government to build production plants for scarce materials — like steel if private industry fails to meet the needs.

Shortages — Congress should authorize government control of priorities and allocations for key materials in short supply, such as building materials.



Speculation — The government should be given authority to regulate speculation on commodity exchanges, as the SEC does with stock exchanges.

Consumer Credit — Continued control on installment plan purchases, charge accounts, etc., and enlarged power to control bank credit.

Exports — Continued authority to control exports of critical goods, with adequate machinery to enforce rulings by controlling agency.

Transportation — Extension of Office of Defense Transportation beyond Feb. 28 to control transportation facilities when necessary in emergencies.

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There has been talk of hoisting the limit to \$4,500.

Health Program Too

All these changes, Mr. Truman estimated, would bring \$1,700,000,000 into the federal till.

In addition, he is counting on raising an additional \$260,000,000 for a new health insurance program with a payroll tax of 1/4 of 1 per cent on companies and workers. But only \$15,000,000 of that would be spent the first year.

Social Security taxes and payments are excluded from the budget because they are handled through trust funds. The government acts as banker, collecting the money and paying it out in benefits.

All in all, Mr. Truman said, the budget reflects a policy of "financial prudence." He considers it a tight budget to meet "minimum requirements."

And confidently he continued:

"I believe that this budget reflects the necessities of our national policy and the desires of our people and that an extensive review by the Congress will result in its acceptance as a sound program of governmental action."

Santa Claus Visits Vickie

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 10.—(P)—Tiny Vickie Jeanne Snyder finally had her visit from Santa Claus last night with all the Christmas trimmings a three-year-old could want.

The chestnut-haired youngster is the object of a cross-country tug-of-war between her mother, Mrs. Jeanne Morgan Braget, 23, of Tacoma, Wash., and her parental grandparents who adopted her nearly three years ago.

The mother and her Tacoma businessman husband, John H. Braget, are in Los Angeles fighting extradition to Pennsylvania to face a charge of kidnapping Vickie from her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Snyder, Harrisburg beauty parlor operators.

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Social Events

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the B. of L. F. held its annual Christmas dinner at the home of Mrs. Louis Yunker, 317 West Fourth street. A turkey dinner was served to the following: Mrs. Chester Long, Mrs. Roy Ramey, Mrs. N. E. Miller, Mrs. J. R. Hunt, Mrs. Russell Overfelt, Mrs. Joe Dunn, Mrs. Harry Weseloh, Mrs. Charles Spillers, Mrs. Roy Hill, Mrs. John O'Brien, Mrs. James Doty, Mrs. Harry Frey, Mrs. Dick Armstrong, Mrs. Charles Holt, Mrs. Bessie Motz, Mrs. Troy Teeter, Mrs. William Griessen, Mrs. R. F. Forsberg, Mrs. N. L. Brown, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. E. J. Deuel, Mrs. Ed Ringen, Mrs. Leland Witt, Mrs. Virgil Tucker, Mrs. Judy Nicholson, Mrs. Louis Yunker, Mrs. Carl Almquist, Mrs. Walker Stark and Mrs. C. M. Brownfield.

After the business meeting each member went fishing with a net and a gift was placed in the net for her to draw from a hidden basket.

The regular January business meeting of the auxiliary was held at the Knights of Pythias hall, 114½ East Fifth street, Thursday afternoon, at which time the following officers were installed for the coming year: Mrs. R. J. Hunt, president; Mrs. Charles Spillers, vice president; Mrs. Chester Long, past president; Mrs. Troy Teeter, secretary; Mrs. John B. O'Brien,



Miss Harriet Turley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hall Turley of Blackwater, whose engagement to Mr. Lawrence Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morris, of Warrensburg, has been announced. The marriage will take place in the near future. (Paragon Studio)



Miss Pat Zuroweste, of Spring Fork, whose engagement to Mr. Louis Pizzella, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pizzella of St. Louis, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Zuroweste.

by Ann Reed, Miss Mary Alice Sheffield, Karl Brosing and Charles Edwards. After dining the party attended the formal Sacred Heart dance at the Convention Hall and an open house at the Sedalia County club.

Lee Weir, son of Mrs. Alma Weir, 1101 South Lamine avenue, held an open-house New Year's eve at his home.

The N. S. club and the members' escorts were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Miss Sandra Ryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ryan, RFD 3, honoring the birthday of Miss Shirley Bennett. Members of the club who attended were: Mrs. A. B. Heckenlaible, Mrs. J. W. Murrell, Mrs. J. E. Coates, Mrs. Roy Hill, Mrs. Joe Dunn, Mrs. Virgil Tucker and Mrs. Harry Frey.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hall, 109 South Quincy avenue, entertained this past week honoring the birthday anniversaries of both their son and daughter.

David celebrated his eleventh birthday anniversary on Monday evening. His guests were Larry Owen, Barbara Rissler, Jerry Jones, Duane Smith, Judy Scruton, Harold Hughes, Marilyn Patterson, Shirley Williams, Judy Rissler, Sandra Baker, Jimmy Joe Satterwhite, Jamie Waller, Billy Joe Brummet, Dale Stephens and Alma Jeanne Hall.

Games were played, for which awards were given.

After David had opened his gifts, refreshments of birthday cake, ice cream and "cokes" were served. Favors were pastel baskets with mints and nuts.

On Wednesday evening Miss Alma Jeanne Hall was honored on her seventeenth birthday anniversary by her parents.

The evening was spent in games with awards going to Margaret Ann Wade, Peggy Thomas and Jo Ann Summers.

After the young honoree had opened her gifts, a plate lunch of sandwiches, salad, "cokes," individual cakes and mints were served.

Those attending were: Miss Peggy Thomas, Miss Bette Belle Dillard, Miss Jo Ann Summers, Miss Jean Swegles, Miss Mary Catherine Siron, Miss Ann Renfrow, Miss Louise Renfrow, Miss Carolee Johnson, Miss Virginia Williams, Miss Margaret Ann Wade, Miss Juanita Means, Miss Norma Jean Walker, Miss Margaret Hampson and Beverly Haggard.

Those invited but unable to attend were: Miss Kathryn Brown, Miss Katherine Lambirth, Miss Betty Brown, Miss Barbara Tween, Miss Sue Harris and Miss Ethel Karl Starke.

Jimmie Detmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Detmer, 616 East Twelfth street, gave a birthday dinner for Miss Charla Edwards and Charles Edwards, twin children of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Edwards, 120 East Broadway, Wednesday evening. Guests were: Miss Charla Edwards, Miss Dor-

Eastern Star Chapters Have Installation of New Officers

Officers of Sedalia Chapter No. 57 and Pettis Chapter No. 279, Order of the Eastern Star, were installed in an impressive ceremony held at the Masonic Temple on Thursday evening, December 30. In the Blue Room, the "East" was attractively decorated with a canopy of purple and white and a purple background. A large, open Holy Bible was placed in the center of the background, and on each side were three candelabra holding white candles. Potted palms added to the attractiveness of the setting.

The executive committee meeting was at 11:00 o'clock.

A luncheon was served at noon and the afternoon session opened at 1:15 o'clock with Mrs. O. E. Palmer presenting the spiritual life program, using as her topic: "Sustenance," taken from the book, "Newness of Life."

The business meeting followed with Mrs. C. D. Demand presenting the program on "Advance" in observance of Epiphany, under the direction of Mrs. Lee Peabody. Mrs. Frank Coffman as reader was assisted by Mrs. Roy Neighbors, Mrs. J. F. King, Mrs. Harold Haun and Mrs. J. L. Curry.

Music was by Mrs. Keith Bohon, Mrs. Herbert Shepherd, Mrs. C. D. Demand and Mrs. Iris White, with Earl Lugen at the piano. The meeting was closed with the singing of a hymn.

"One in the Bond of Peace—in the Home" was the subject of a discussion given at a meeting of the Women's Guild of Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. William Bessmer, spiritual life chairman, assisted by Mrs. R. R. Hamlow and Mrs. R. H. Sheffield presented the topic in the form of a radio skit. They pointed out the importance of rich family experiences in educating children for life.

Mrs. Bessmer opened the meeting with a service of worship. Mrs. Elmer Maune, president, presided during the business session. Mrs. Richard Gray, stewardship chairman, called attention to the essay and poster contest sponsored by the commission on Stewardship of the Evangelical and Reformed church. The general topic is "Stewardship: Taking Christ Seriously."

Mrs. Fred Kueck, missionary chairman, told of the plight of missionaries in China. Mrs. Michael Wolfe, social service chairman said the need for continued shipment of food and clothing to Germany was vital. New and used clothing may be brought to the February meeting, where it will be dedicated, it was announced.

Thank offering boxes were re-consecrated for use during the year by the thank offering chairman, Mrs. Hubert Smith.

Mrs. Leonard Williams, social chairman, and her committee served 50 adults and three children. Names were drawn for the annual rotation of circles. Leaders and their respective circles are:

Mrs. Orville Perkins, Ruth Circle; Mrs. Lloyd Satterwhite, Dorcas Circle; and Mrs. Elmo Harlan, Mary Martha Circle.

Mrs. Ernest Liebel, altar chairman, explained a new duty assumed by the altar committee, which was the training of altar boys chosen from the Junior Department of the Sunday school. Assisting Mrs. Liebel on the altar committee are Mrs. William Dixon, Miss Marjorie Liebel, Shirley Burnett, and Ardeene Withaus.

The first quarterly family night will be held Sunday in connection with the annual congregational meeting. A covered dish supper will be served at 4:30 o'clock.

The January meeting of the Opti-Misses was held Friday at the home of Mrs. Dan Doty, 904 South Ohio avenue.

A social session was held following the business meeting at which time refreshments were served to sixteen members, by the hostess and assisting hostesses.

Mrs. J. A. Larson, the leader, gave treats to each present.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. J. A. Larson and son, Mrs. John Hanson, Mrs. Kurman Riley and son, Mrs. N. E. Siegel, Mrs. A. Kroeger and daughter, Mrs. Hopkins and children, Mrs. Fred Staley, Mrs. Martin Schupp and Mrs. U. S. Eye Cummings.

Salem P. T. A. Meeting

The Salem P. T. A. met Friday night with a good attendance.

The regular business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. E. L. Birdsong and the program was in charge of Ivan Grimes.

Several novelty numbers were presented by the "Dads" which

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By Galbraith



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Broadway Study Class Met

The Broadway Study Class met Friday, with Mrs. J. E. Merrick, president, presiding.

"I Resolve" by James Metcalf, was the devotional given by Mrs. Richard Gray.

"When Children Ask," was the subject chosen by Mrs. Bert Goldmann under the field of sex education. Open discussion was held by the group.

Mrs. L. W. Duly, 301 East Seventh street, was hostess for the afternoon, with Mrs. Dimmitt Hoffman, Mrs. John League and Mrs. F. A. Giessen as assistant hostesses.

Horace Mann P. T. A. Meeting

The Horace Mann Parent Education Class will meet Tuesday at 1:00 o'clock in the lunch room for a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. P. A. Sillers will speak on report cards. Mrs. Harold Painter will be chairman.

Fish are growing twice as fast as normally in an enclosed salt-water sea in the west of Scotland. The sea is being fertilized with sodium nitrate and phosphates to increase the growth of the small plants along the ocean bed, on which the fish feed.

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Pettis County Farm and Home News

Awards to 14 4-H Clubs

High Percentage In the Completion Of Their Projects

Fourteen Pettis County 4-H clubs have received the award of Blue Ribbon club as announced by the State 4-H club office.

Clubs winning this year were: Walnut Grove, Van Natta, Striped College, South Abel, Snelser, Ringen Brushy, Oak Grove, Longwood, Lamine, Hillview, Georgetown, Flat Creek, Bunker Hill, and Bethel. Clubs receiving honorable mention are: Elder Ridge, Hazel Hill and Prairie Ridge.

These clubs all had high percentage of completions most of them 100 per cent. They had regular year around club meetings with well planned programs which were carried out essentially as planned. Project meetings were held in addition to the regular community meetings so that a high quality of work was done by members of these Blue Ribbon clubs.

Officers and members took initiative and responsibility in meetings and other 4-H activities.

The clubs carried supplementary activities such as first aid, wildlife conservation, grooming, safety, music appreciation or everyday courtesies.

Many of them rendered services to their communities and cooperated with other groups in the communities.

Their members participated in county events such as County Council meetings, County Achievement day, Demonstration Training and Play Day as well as other special county events.

These Blue Ribbon clubs carried out all activities in the best possible way and their members and their clubs benefit by their good programs.

Production of Some Seeds Low

Some farmers are asking why some of the legume and grass seed supplies are reported short. They think that production was pretty good on some of them.

The County Extension Agent says, according to the field crop specialist at the University, that the 1948 production of some seeds was definitely low. Among these were alfalfa, sweet clover, timothy, redtop, bromegrass and bluegrass.

But this low production was somewhat offset by high production of other seeds, namely tall fescue orchard grass, alsike clover, lespedeza, ladino clover and birdsfoot trefoil. However, the high export demand for most of these seeds keeps the supply short.

Since redtop and timothy are scarce and high, they might be seeded at minimum rates and perhaps substitute tall or meadowfescue. The fate of seeding red clover might be reduced somewhat and lespedeza added. Certainly red clover should be seeded only on land well adapted for its growth. It's nearly always a good practice to add some lespedeza to a seeding of red clover.

Ladino clover and birdsfoot trefoil are fairly abundant and their use might well be expanded. With seed supplies below normal you need to plan ahead on what to sow. Then prepare a good seedbed, fertilize, seed at the optimum time and hope for favorable weather.

More Reading During 1949

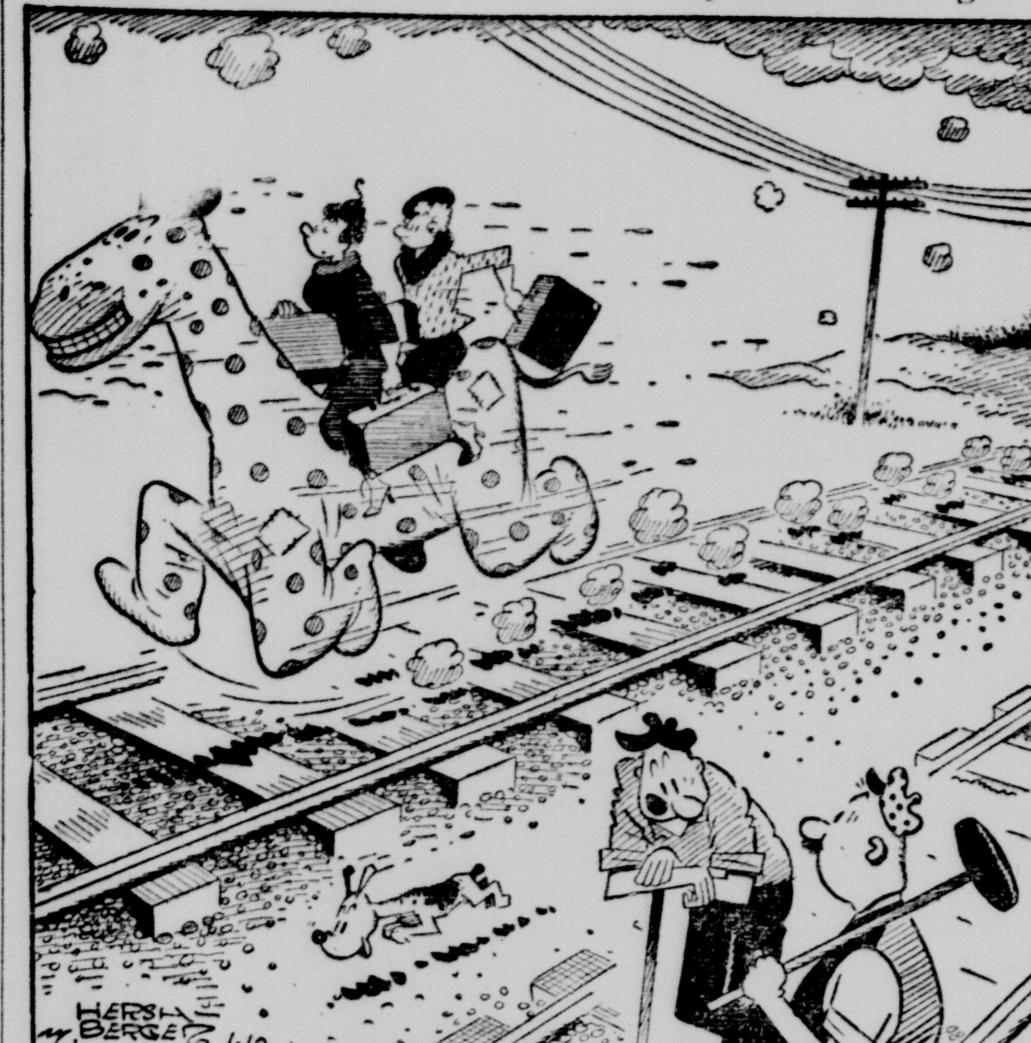
Let's resolve to do more reading in 1949. When you sit down to relax in the evening, pick up a book or magazine. And when you go to town on Saturday stop at the library for a book to read during the coming week. Your county agent or home demonstration agent can supply you with a list of good books which is made out by the University of Missouri Library Reference Department.

The written word opens new worlds to the reader. From your comfortable arm chair you can visit far-away countries or be inspired by the way one of your favorite characters in history lived. And keep informed on current events and legislation. As a good citizen you own this to your family, your community and your country.

Don't neglect reading the home-making sections of magazines. The home economists who write these sections spend long hours testing recipes and working out easier ways to do household tasks. They do this in special kitchens which have home equipment. The ideas in home-making magazines are to help you, so study them well. It's fun to try something new now and then—that's one of the ways we keep young.

Funny Business

By Hershberger



"Those are their wives—the vaudeville team's run out of train fare again!"

Germination Test For Oats Need

A warning comes from the field crops extension men at the University of Missouri to the local County Agent that seed oats need the germination test this year.

Laboratory tests show very low germination on many samples. Reason for the general low germination of seed oats was probably due to the unfavorable weather at harvest time last summer. As a result many oats were binned with a moisture content near 15 per cent. Bulk oats with this high a moisture content are almost sure to heat. This will damage germination.

Samples sent to the University laboratory at Waters Hall, Columbia, can be reported promptly. Those submitted later are usually caught in a rush at the laboratory and the reports are held up. If you take samples from the bin get them at different places over the bin. Be sure they are at least two to three feet down in the bin. Then pour the samples together and mail a pint sample to the Seed Testing Laboratory, Columbia, Mo.

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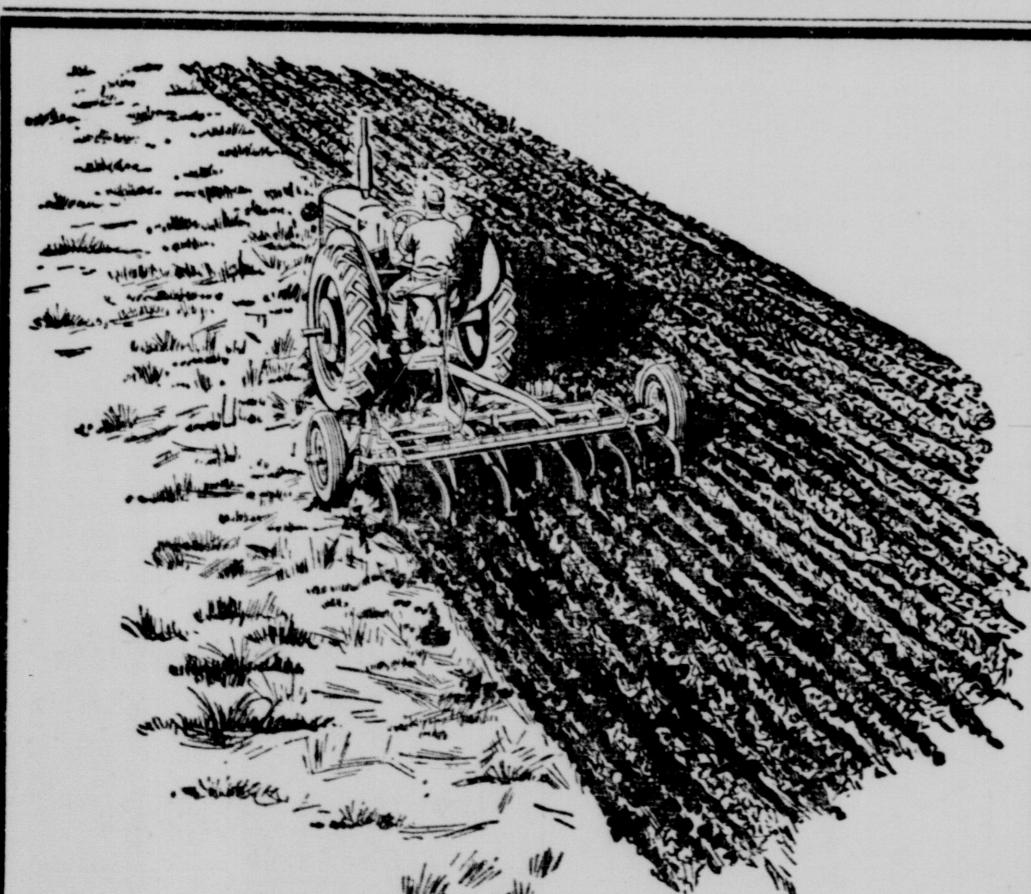
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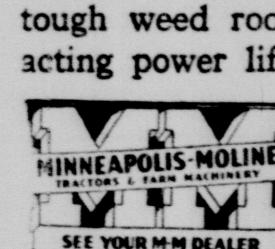
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Discussions on Farm Program

Jas. A. Harvey, Pettis County Triple-A chairman, reports that community committees in most townships have already held meetings where all farmers in the township were invited to come and discuss the 1949 Farm Program and sign the Farm Plan for their farms. In signing the Farm Plan each farmer indicates his plans for taking part in the National program of conserving and increasing productiveness of our greatest resource, the soil. By carrying out the practices indicated these farmers will be eligible to receive assistance allotted to their farms under the Farm Program.

1949 contracts have been awarded suppliers for the furnishing of agricultural limestone delivered and spread on the field at the cost of \$2.95 per ton in each township in Pettis county with the exception of one, Smithton town. The contract price in Smithton township is \$2.80 per ton.

The credit rate under the 1949 Farm Program of \$1.45 per ton is already being advanced in limited amount to farmers who have signed their Farm Plans and have placed an order at the County Triple-A office for delivery of the limestone. Such advancements may also be made on the purchase of fertilizer to be used in connection with an old stand or new seeding of grass or legumes, and also on earth moving practices such as construction of waterways, terraces, and ponds.

Any farmer interested in receiving such an advancement to offset the full cost of performing their 1949 practices are cordially invited to call at the county association office to discuss the matter with a member of the county committee, stated Harvey.

Owners or operators who have

Cold air and freezing are also hard on wool.

not signed their 1949 Farm Plans may do so by calling at the county office anytime before April 1, 1949, or contacting their community committee when notified to do so.

Dairy Production Meet January 21

Plans are being made for the program dealing with dairy production at the county wide meeting to be held in the Assembly Room of the Court house January 21.

Appearing on the program will be local dairymen reporting some of their experiences on artificial insemination and in pasture management. Some of the members of the Association have had phenomenal results in the artificial insemination program. Some of the heifers are about ready to start producing. High quality is evident in many of these animals.

There will be a discussion by Warren Nordyke, manager of the breeding farm, on how to get a higher rate of conception.

M. J. Regan will also discuss this program. Other phases of dairy production will develop in the all-day's program. Culling feeding and management will be a part of the program.

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1 pound ground pork 1 4-oz. package noodles

1 egg 2 quarts boiling water

Seasoning 1/2 cup diced green pepper

Flour 1 cup diced cooked rutabaga

2 tablespoons shortening

Combine pork, egg, and seasoning. Form into 1-inch balls. Roll in flour. Brown in hot fat. Boil noodles in salted water 10 minutes. Drain. Combine noodles, green pepper, and rutabaga. Place in greased 2-qt. casserole. Place pork balls on top. Bake in a moderate oven (350° F.) about 40 minutes or until pork is well done.

Soda Bill Sez:

New Year's resolutions are like eggs—they're made to be broken.

It's not the hours you put in, but what you put into your hours.

QUOTES OF THE MONTH

Animals have done more to make America great than any other one thing. Directly and indirectly, animals account for about 80 per cent of the jobs in the food industry, and the food industry accounts for about 55 per cent of the total employment in this country.

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Roger H. Bray and A. U. Thor,

University of Illinois

Grass Silage a Good Winter Feed

by P. S. Shearer
Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa

Good quality grass or legume silage makes an excellent winter feed for all roughage-consuming animals—dairy and beef cattle, sheep, and even horses. Some have found it useful in feeding brood sows, and poultry, too. Grass silage may replace either a part or all the hay in a ration for dairy cows. Most dairymen who use it prefer to feed some dry hay with the silage. Since average grass silage contains only about 25% to 30% dry matter, it requires roughly 3 lbs. of silage to replace 1 lb. of well-cured hay.

In dairy rations, grass silage can replace corn or sorghum silage. On a dry matter basis it compares favorably with corn silage in total digestible nutrients, and if made from legumes or a mixture of legumes and grass, the digestible protein content is higher. This means that a smaller amount of protein supplement is needed to balance the ration.

For beef cattle, grass silage can be fed to breeding herds, fattening cattle, or young stock. It may replace a part or all of the corn silage, hay or both, though some dry roughage is recommended. Since grass silage has high carotene content it is especially valuable in winter rations likely to lack vitamin A.

Ensiling is not a magic method of making good feed out of poor roughage. Grass silage made from good material, well preserved and free from spoilage, needs no particular feeding precautions. Moldy or spoiled silage loses its palatability and much nutritive value; and it may be toxic, especially to sheep and horses.

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New Inter-Collegiate Athletic Conference

FAYETTE, Mo., Jan. 10.—(P)—Plans for organization of a new intercollegiate athletic conference composed of Missouri and Kansas schools were announced here yesterday.

Athletic Director Robert Vanta of Central college, secretary of the Missouri College Athletic Union, said representatives of five schools had held a preliminary meeting on the proposal.

He named the interested schools as Central, Missouri Valley College and William Jewell College of the Missouri College Athletic Union and Baker university and College of Emporia of the Kansas conference. Another meeting will be held in Kansas City March 11 and 12, Vanta said. A sixth team will be needed for a new loop.

In making the announcement and under qualified for the final phasize "that the members of a new conference would not withdraw from their present conference."

Monday Merchants League

Team standings:	Won	Lost	Pct.
Rosenthal's	29	19	.604
Falstaff	29	20	.587
Stewart Avenue Market	26	22	.542
J. C. Penny Co.	25	23	.521
Cummins Marke	22	26	.458
McLain Bros.	14	34	.292
High individual game: Craig 221 pins.			
High individual series: J. C. McKinley, 558 pins.			
High team single game: Falstaff, 1014 pins.			
High team series: Stewart Avenue Market, 2870 pins.			

Lashes Out at NCAA Football Sanity Code

"Sanity Code Will Make Liars of All Of Us," he Asserted

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10.—(P)—

The outgoing president of the American Football Coaches Association lashed out at the National Collegiate Athletic Association's year-old "sanity code" today. He said coaches "are fearful we have another prohibition act on our hands."

Harvey Harman of Rutgers, in a statement at the end of the association convention here, said his profession had no quarrel with the aims of the code.

"We recognize it as an effort to keep football amateur and we must be sympathetic with the motive," he declared. "We are waiting to see how honest, fair and free of hypocrisy the administration of this code will be."

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Four Tied in Los Angeles \$15,000 Open

Gibson, Kansas Citian Ignored Harsh Winds And Was 4 Under Par

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 10.—(P)—The closest finale in the 23 editions of the \$15,000 Los Angeles open golf tournament is in prospect today.

Four professionals headed into the final round for the \$2,600 top money tied for first place at 214. Two strokes behind them were two more ranking challengers.

Heading the procession and hoping for a weather break after yesterday's most unusual climate were Lloyd Mangrum, Jimmy Demaret, Leland Gibson and Eric Monti.

Pressing just behind were Sam Snead and E. J. (Dutch) Harrison.

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But Gibson, 39-year-old pro from Kansas City and a veteran of this tournament since 1939, ignored the harsh winds and cold yesterday and shot the finest round of the day. It was a 67, four under par for the Riviera Country club course.

Gibson and Demaret were the only players to break par. And only two, Snead and lagging Vic Ghezzi, were able to catch it.

Fifty-four hole scores of 228 and under qualified for the final round. Missing today were several well known names, including the two first round hot amateurs, Bobby Gardner and Nick Petropolo, Los Angeles; Skip Alexander of Southern Pines, S.C., whose 82 was his worst round in many a day, and one or two others.

Billikens to Play Tuesday

DES MOINES, Jan. 10.—(P)—Defending champion Oklahoma A. and A. Bradley, two of the top basketball teams in the Missouri Valley Conference, are matched tonight at Stillwater.

It is a vital contest in the young Valley season for both teams. The Aggies and the Braves are expected to fight it out with undefeated St. Louis U. for the conference crown and a defeat could be costly.

Bradley particularly needs the victory since the Braves were stopped 57-44 by St. Louis in their conference debut last week. Coach Fordy Anderson's team bounced back from that one to take Tulsa 57-37.

Oklahoma A and M opened its conference play with a 43-26 triumph over Drake, coasting in after building a 22-8 halftime lead. The Aggies' season record is 8-2 and Bradley has a 13-2 mark.

St. Louis, undefeated in nine games, is on display tomorrow night in Madison Square Garden against Long Island University. The Billikens will be back in conference activity against Drake at St. Louis Saturday.

The Billikens opened their eastern jaunt with a 64-55 victory over Canisius.

Drake and Tulsa tangle tonight at Tulsa and Wichita will be host to Bradley in other conference games this week. Wichita defeated Fort Hays State 59-51 last Saturday night.

Baseball Schools Open in Florida

ORLANDO, Fla., Jan. 10.—(P)—Snow and snow made much of the nation winter-conscious today, but in central Florida the baseball school season was in full swing.

Two player courses and one for umpires opened today. Four other schools began earlier and two will start in the next few weeks.

The Washington Senators' baseball school opened today at Walker Field in Winter Garden, where Joe Engle, president of that Chattanooga Lookouts and director of the school, expects a turnout of 200 students.

The Jack Rossiter baseball school also began in Cocoa, where an estimated 160 students will assemble. The Bill McGowan umpire school will move into gear at Cocoa, with 55 student arbiters on hand.

Bowl Games At The Fox

Highlights of the New Year's day feature bowl games will be seen in motion pictures Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the Fox theatre. Joe Riddle, manager of the Fox related four of the games will be outstanding—the Rose, Sugar, Cotton and Orange Bowls.

It shows the outstanding plays of each game, scoring and so forth. The 93,000 fans at the Rose Bowl seeing Northwestern Wildcats scoring in the last minutes of play to nose out California 20 to 14.

At the Sugar Bowl, 80,500 watched the Oklahoma Sooners throttle Justice and the North Carolina Tarheels to the tune of 14 to 6. The first bowl game to be won by a Big Seven conference team.

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One Good Attorney Deserves Another

After signing Georgia's Johnny Rauch for his ex-Boston Yanks, owner Ted Collins added that he had lined up a half dozen or so new players. . . . "But they're not the big-name players; not the kind of kids you have to go through five attorneys to sign," Ted explained. "It's a tough deal signing some of them. They read about how much some of the other players got and figure inflation is even worse now. You finally have to ask them, 'How much do you want in money?'"

Quote, Unique

Birdie Tebbets, Red Sox catcher: "I can't imagine a team like we have playing two seasons under Joe McCarthy without winning. He's the best loser I ever saw. He never criticizes when you lose. He holds his tongue and words of advice until the team is winning or an individual is going well."

Cleaning the Cuff

Bull Lea, Citation's pop, didn't have a stakes winner among his two-year-old sons and daughters last year. . . . College baseball coaches are thinking about picking their own all-America baseball team — and selling it to a magazine like the football and basketball coaches did.

U. S. Hockey League

By The Associated Press Sunday scores: St. Paul 1, Houston 1; Minneapolis 2, Kansas City 1; Tulsa 5, Fort Worth 2. (No games tonight.)

In ancient Babylon, an unskilled surgeon's mistakes might cost him the loss of his hands, according to Encyclopedia Britannica.

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Sooners Will Meet Missouri Tigers at Columbia Saturday

By Skipper Patrick

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Missouri Pacific Shop Notes

The Sedalia Booster club meeting for January will be held during the noon hour at the local shops Tuesday, with F. G. Rose, chief booster, presiding. The principal speaker will be L. L. Studer, district storekeeper at the local shops.

Mrs. C. M. DeVaughn, wife of locomotive department employee, was in Kansas City last Thursday visiting her brother, L. F. Glenn, who is a patient in a Kansas City hospital.

L. R. Christy, chief mechanical officer for the Missouri Pacific lines, was at the local shops Friday on business.

B. N. Payne, boilermaker, last week entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical treatment.

F. F. Henderson, electrician, last week resumed his duties, after being off duty several days on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Higgins have returned to their home here, after visiting the past few weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Gene Kelly, husband and children. Mr. Higgins is a retired store department employee.

L. L. Studer, district storekeeper, was in Little Rock, Ark., Thursday attending the funeral of J. C. Gann, storekeeper at Little Rock, who died Tuesday.

L. B. Herfurth, forging supervisor for the Missouri Pacific, was in St. Louis and De Soto, Mo., last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwards, of De Soto, spent the past weekend visiting with relatives and friends in Sedalia. Mr. Edwards is blacksmith foreman for the Missouri Pacific in De Soto.

W. B. Eastham, pipefitter, is taking a two weeks vacation, part of which he is visiting with his daughter, Mrs. Harry Mayo, and husband in Cincinnati, Ohio.

D. M. Scott, pipefitter, and daughter, Judith, spent New Year's day and Sunday visiting Mr. Scott's parents in Haven, Kas.

John Lackey, traveling diesel inspector for the Missouri Pacific, was at the local shops last week on business.

Ik Warren, machinist, and Mrs. Warren were visitors in Kansas City the past weekend.

J. N. Johnson, machinist, has resumed his duties, after spending several days visiting friends in Chicago, Ill.

A. C. Myatt, power plant foreman, has returned to his home from the company hospital in St. Louis, where he spent a few days undergoing a physical check-up. Raymond Prince is working in his place during his absence.

Ed Witt, machinist, has resumed his duties, after a two weeks vacation in Haddenfield, N. J., where he visited with his daughter, husband and grandmother. He also visited his mother in Maplewood, N. J., and with his sister near there.

C. W. Cooper, clerk in the bolt-house office, will resume his duties Monday, after a week's vacation with his parents in Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Roy Duncan, pipefitter, and Mrs. Duncan spent New Year's day and Jan. 2nd, visiting Mr. Duncan's parents and sister in Swink, Colo.

M. Clifford, boilermaker, has returned home from the Company hospital in St. Louis, where he underwent medical treatment. He is getting along as well as can be expected, but his return to work is not definitely known.

The championship schedule: Tuesday—Maryville at Kirksville.

Saturday—Rolla at Cape Girardeau; Kirksville at Warrensburg.

It will be the first conference start for Maryville, Kirksville, and Cape Girardeau. Springfield defeated Warrensburg, 50-42, in a conference game last Friday.

In non-conference activity, Springfield will take on the tough Pittsburg State Gorillas in the Kansas City Wednesday and at

I. Announcements

2-Cards of Thanks

FISHER. LYDIA — We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors, those who sent flowers, the minister who officiated at the funeral service, the singers, and pallbearers for the kindness and sympathy which was extended during the time of our late bereavement.
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II Automotive

11-Automobiles for Sale

1938 CHEVROLET coach. Phone 5176-R-2

1941 OLDSMOBILE: A-1 condition. Phone 4477.

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1936 PLYMOUTH coach, good shape, new tires. Phone 5183-3-3

1937 FORD, 1940 DODGE, radio, heater, good. 1809 South Osage.

1935 FORD, clean, good tires, radio. 818 East 6th. Phone 3344.

1940 OLDSMOBILE: sold and traded. 2118 East Broadway.

1940 PLYMOUTH DeLuxe sedan, \$750. Like new. \$500 down 4370-J.

LATE 1946 PONTIAC sedan, radio, heater. A-1. Phone 5234-M-2.

1941 BUICK SPECIAL, radio and heater. Bargain to sell. 409 West Clay.

1935 FORD COACH, good motor and tires. \$195.00. 2118 East Broadway.

1935 PLYMOUTH sedan, heater, good tires, good body, new seat covers. Phone 1217-W.

1937 PLYMOUTH COACH—good paint, new radiator and battery. Leaving town, will sacrifice. 1723 West 5th.

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15-Repairing—Service Stations

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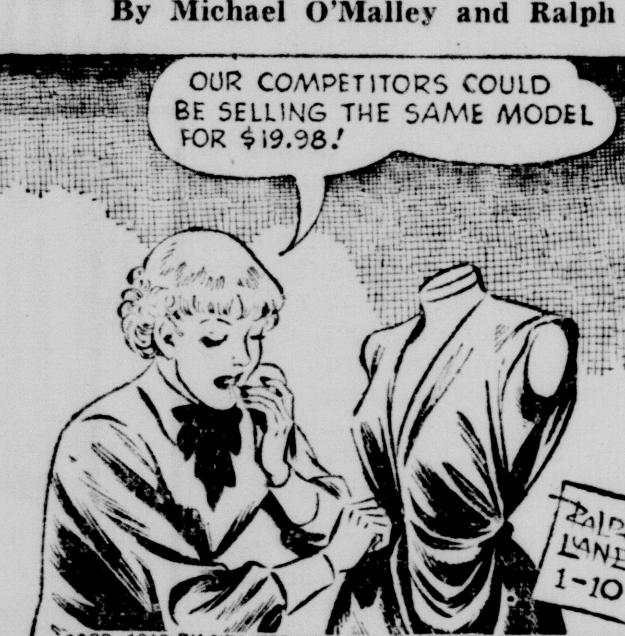
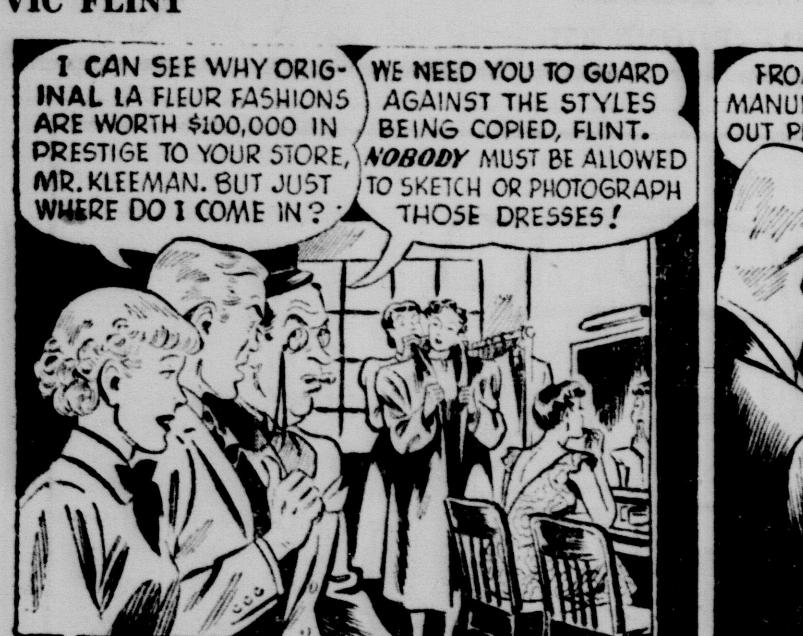
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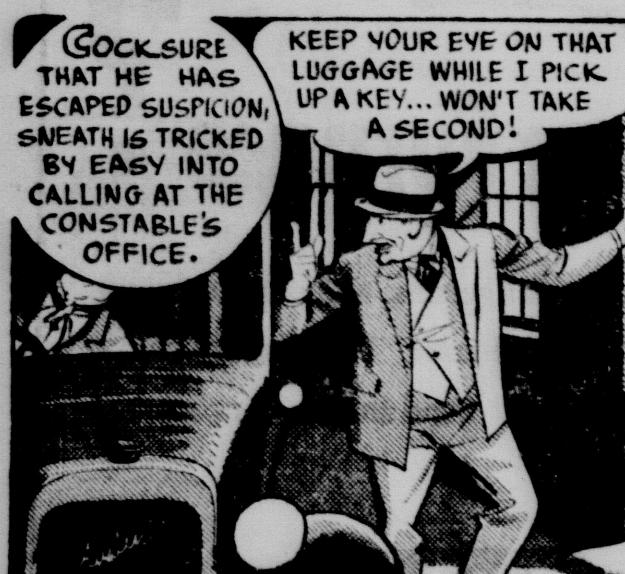
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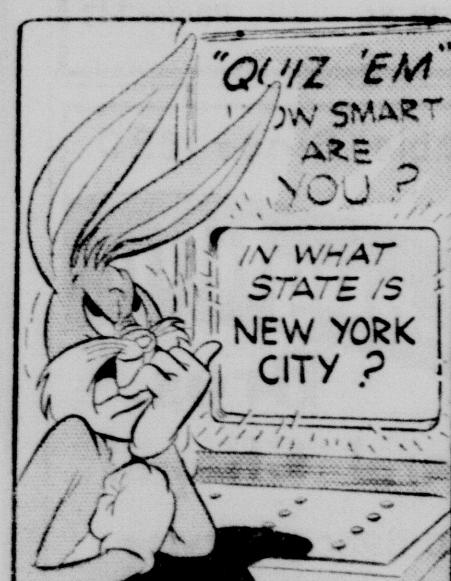
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Stokley Club Installs New Officers

The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round

by Drew Pearson

(Editor's Note — Drew Pearson today awards the Brass Ring, good for a free ride on the Washington Merry-Go-Round, to Dean Acheson, new secretary of state.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10—Dean Acheson, son of the late Episcopal Suffragan Bishop of Connecticut, has followed with reasonable consistency an unadvertised desire to help his country. He has also cherished a desire, ever since he was a young lawyer in Washington, to clean up the horse-and-buggy diplomacy of the state department.

That ambition probably started 20 years ago when Acheson was the attorney for a progressive, non-career diplomat, Prentiss Gilbert, who tangled with the striped-pants career boys and was nearly given the gate. Never in his fondest dreams, however, did Dean Acheson, those bright young days, think that he might become secretary of state. His real ambition was to sit on the supreme court.

The fact that he now finds himself secretary of state is probably due not only to ability — of which he has plenty — but to an act of kindness to a little man who had just suffered a slashing political defeat.

In November 1946, Harry Truman's party lost control of both houses of Congress. The blow was so great that most observers predicted Truman could never be re-elected. Even some Democrats, especially Senator Fulbright of Arkansas, suggested that Truman resign.

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Acheson rode with the president back to Washington from Independence, Mo., where he voted, was almost like a funeral. When he arrived at the Union Station here, only one member of the cabinet was on hand to meet him, and he was not really a member. It was acting secretary of state Dean Acheson.

Acheson rode with the president back to the White House where Truman read over the sanguine editorial comment and asked Acheson what he should do.

Acheson was bold and courageous. He advised Truman to issue a dignified diplomatic statement urging cooperation between Congress and the White House, pointing to other precedents where presidents had faced hostile Congresses.

Truman agreed. Acheson drafted the statement — a masterpiece — and the two men have been close friends ever since.

FDR Fired Acheson

Acheson is one of the few men ever fired by Franklin Roosevelt who has staged a comeback.

His mentor throughout the years has been supreme court justice Felix Frankfurter, who once taught him law at Harvard, recommended him as secretary to the late Justice Brandeis and urged FDR to make him solicitor general.

Instead FDR made Acheson under-secretary of the treasury, where he was out-of-step and miserable. Dean was more miserable when, one day while waiting in an anteroom of the White House, newsmen came out to tell him that Roosevelt had just announced his resignation.

He did not know until that moment that he had been fired.

Frankfurter Friend

Almost every morning, the long-lanky Acheson can be seen walking two miles to work beside his old mentor, Justice Felix Frankfurter. It was Frankfurter who persuaded Roosevelt to take Acheson back seven years later, as assistant secretary of state, and it was Frankfurter who also urged Acheson to ask the justice department to indict this columnist — a proposal which Acheson took up in cabinet meeting without success.

Acheson first joined the state department in 1941 as assistant secretary in charge of congressional relations. He was an immediate success. Congressman like Speaker Sam Rayburn swore by him. Later, as undersecretary he ran the state department during the long periods when Jimmy Byrnes was in Paris, London and Moscow. In that period the state department probably reached its peak efficiency.

Maryland Farmer

Despite high position, Acheson has never put on airs, still likes to do chores around his Maryland

Beware of Romance

By Roberta Courtland

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THE STORY: When sixteen-year-old Merry Carson learns that her dashing uncle, Kit, has asked her selfish mother, Susan, for a divorce, her whole world turns topsy-turvy. Kit leaves home and comes to live with Merry. Aunt Jane comes to look after things. The doctor advises a change for Susan and they take her to St. Vincent's, an island resort. Here Susan buys a husband, Carter Bagby. Carter treats her gallantly, but Susan begins to perk up. Merry goes to spend a couple of days with her father. There, Kit, who has again but tells him she still loves her, reveals in marriage, after what happened to her parents. Merry's father says he has decided the Marshallville crowd spend the summer there and Merry enjoys herself. In August she and her father see the announcement of her father's second marriage in the paper.

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TWO weeks later, when most of

the crowd were gone, Merry came home from a bicycle trip to the library and entered the house, her arms filled with books, whistling cheerfully. From the big living room, Susan called to her; and there was something excited and oddly breathless in Susan's voice that startled Merry so that she spilled the books hastily on the table beneath the big gilt-framed mirror and went swiftly into the living room.

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"Honestly, Merry, I am astounded at you. Have you been told that you couldn't see this coming?" asked Aunt Jane at last.

Merry rolled over and sat up.

"Aunt Jane, we can't let her marry him—we can't."

"How do you suggest we stop it? By locking her up somewhere on board and water?"

"But there must be something we can do."

"Oh, there is, of course."

"What, Aunt Jane?"

"Take it and pretend to like it."

"You mean just stand by and not try to save her?"

"Save her?" Aunt Jane snorted.

furiously. "My dear blessed little innocent! How the heck can you save her from something she wants? She's crazy about the guy. She's been married so long that it's a habit she can't break. She's the incurably domestic type, born to marriage as the sparks fly upward or something. She was born to be a wife and mother, and she's miserable in any other existence. I don't suppose Bagby is such a bad little guy; I just don't like him, because he's not my type at all. But that's not to say he won't make her happy. I'm probably a good so-and-so to feel he's looking for a soft berth and thinks he's found it with Susan; at his age, at any rate, he'll probably be properly grateful for all she can do for him and repay her by being loyal and faithful and the lap-dog kind of husband Susan needs."

Merry was too shocked, too speechless, to be able to control her shocked disapproval, her bewildered protest.

"I shall do my utmost to make your mother happy, Merry. I assure you, and to be a good father to you," said Carter, but there was now a faint edge to his tone.

"Thanks, I have a father, and a darned good one, and that will be quite sufficient, thank you," flashed Merry before she could control the words.

"Merry!" Susan was outraged, indignant. "How dare you be rude? Apologize to Carter immediately."

But Merry had had all she could take, and suddenly she ran down the hall and into her own room, closed the door and flung herself face down across the bed.

SOME time later—she was too dazed and shaken to know how long—Aunt Jane sat beside her on the bed, patting her shoulder soothingly as though she had been six months old and in need of being burped.

"Honestly, Merry, I am astounded at you. Have you been told that you couldn't see this coming?" asked Aunt Jane at last.

Merry rolled over and sat up.

"Aunt Jane, we can't let her marry him—we can't."

"Of course, Mother."

Carter was almost unbearably possessive and pompous. And when at last they had gone on their honeymoon, Merry and Aunt Jane relaxed and Aunt Jane shook her head sadly.

"How Susan could ever for a moment let herself fall for that stuffed shirt—after Kin!" she exploded.

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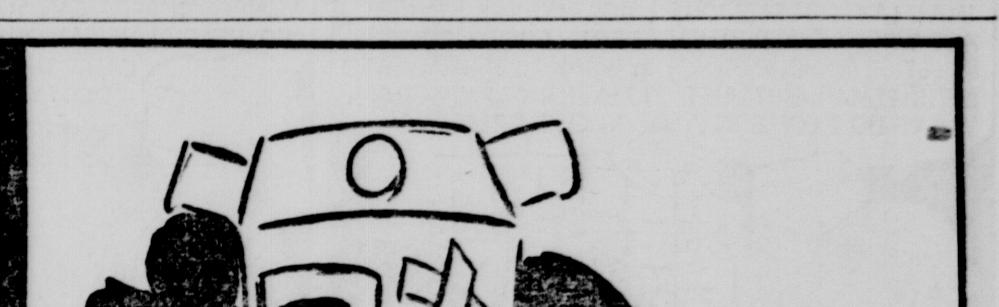
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